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FRENCH PEOPLE WILL HONOR GREAT FRENCH AVIATOR

FIND BODIES IN WRECKAGE

Gunner's Mate Is Only One Identified Yet in F-4 Debris.

(Special to The Herald)

Honolulu, Aug. 31.—One body found in the forward compartment on the United States submarine F-4, which was wrecked in the harbor here March 26, was identified today as that of George E. Ashcroft of Los Angeles, gunner's mate. The body first was recognized by a dental bridge, naval officials said.

Many of the bodies entangled in the debris of the submarine are in fragments. It was not expected that the remaining bodies would be recovered before tomorrow. Meanwhile work of clearing the hull of sand and other debris continues.

Who Met Death in Struggle With German Aeroplane and Fell From a Height of 6,000 Feet

(Special to The Herald)

Paris, Sept. 1.—A national tribute will be paid by the French people to Adolphe Pegoud when the funeral of the world's most famous aviator is held. The death of Pegoud, the first airman to loop the loop and fly upside down, was officially confirmed here today. It was learned that he met his death in a struggle with a German aeroplane Tuesday morning while flying over eastern France. The Frenchman fell from a height of 6,000 feet and landed within the French lines.

RENEWED GERMAN ATTACKS

DEPOSITS COMMENCE TO DRAW INTEREST ON THE First Three Days of September

Interest at 3½ Per Cent.

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PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

COAL STRIKE OFFICIALLY DECLARED OFF

(Special to The Herald)

Cardiff, Wales, Sept. 1.—The miners federation today accepted the terms of settlement reached in London yesterday and the coal operators officially declared the strike off.

BAY HAVEN CLAMBAKE
The Bay Haven Yacht Club will hold its annual get-together clambake up the York river next Sunday or Labor Day. The members are planning to make this their big event of the season.

THE FALL OF RIGA AND VILNA IS IMMINENT

German Troops Soon Expect to Cross the Dvina River According to Berlin Advises.

(Special to The Herald)
Berlin, Sept. 1.—The capture of Friederichstadt by German troops is imminent, according to the latest reports received here today. This will permit the crossing of the Dvina river, which according to German military experts will result in the immediate fall of Riga and Vilna.

TWO KILLED ON RAILROAD CROSSING

And Two Others Are Not Expected to Live After Being Hit by Express Train.

(Special to The Herald)

Philadelphia, Sept. 1.—Two persons were instantly killed and two others were so badly injured that they are not expected to live when a carriage in which they were driving was struck by an Atlantic City express train at a Philadelphia and Reading railroad crossing in Laurel Springs, N. J., early this morning.

LEAVE COPPER SHIP TO FATE

Cast Off by Rescue Steamer and Loss Will Reach \$250,000.

Seattle, Wash., Aug. 31.—The Alaskan steamship company's freight steamer Eddi, which was abandoned by her crew off Cape Hinchinbrook, Alaska, yesterday, and afterward was picked up in the Gulf of Alaska by the passenger steamer Mariposa which attempted to tow her to Cordova, was later cast off by the Mariposa and was sinking rapidly when last seen. The vessel and cargo of copper were valued at \$250,000.

The York Beach baseball team went to Old Orchard today to play the team representing that place. Jim Brackett went with the team to play shortstop.

You Live Marathoners, LISTEN...

Hampton Beach Carnival

Sept. 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12

Marathon Run

Portsmouth to Hampton Beach
Start—Market Square, Wednesday,
at 1 p. m.

Finish—Hampton Beach Casino.

Prizes:
First—Cup, value \$30
Second—Cup, value \$20
Third—Cup, value \$10

OPEN RACE—NO ENTRANCE FEE

Enrique W. E. Woods, 22 Congress St., Portsmouth; FRANK CALLAHAN, Hampton Beach.

NO MERCHANT VESSEL WILL BE ATTACKED

Germany Has Accepted America's Interpretation of How Submarine Can Operate.

(Special to The Herald)
Washington, D. C., Sept. 1.—Germany has accepted in principle America's interpretation of the rules under which her submarines may operate. Ambassador Von Bernstorff so informed Secretary of State Lansing today. Only the matter of reducing the formal agreement to writing and serving it on the state department remains to be done.

Germany's action is accepted as the greatest diplomatic victory of the war. On leaving the state department Ambassador Von Bernstorff stated that he considered the submarine issue as raised in the case of the Gulflight, Lusitania and Arabic as closed incident. The ambassador said that he had been directed by his government to notify the United States that hereafter no merchant vessel will be attacked without first being warned, visited and searched, and an opportunity for their passengers and crew to escape.

The following is the official memorandum given to Secretary Lansing by Ambassador Von Bernstorff:

"Dear Mr. Secretary: With reference to our conversation of this morning I beg to inform you that one instruction concerning our answer to your last Lusitania note contains the following passage: 'Liners will not be sunk by our submarines without warning, and without safety to the lives of non-combatants provided that the liners do not try to escape or offer resistance.'

"Although I know that you don't wish to discuss the Lusitania until the Arabic incident has been definitely and satisfactorily settled, I desire to inform you of the above because this policy of my government was decided on before the Arabic incident occurred. I have no objection of you making use of any of the above information. I remain dear Mr. Lansing."

(Signed) J. Von Bernstorff.

IN CAMP AT RYE

The 106 men of Company A, Engineer Corps, under command of Captain B. L. Patterson, who arrived here from Washington, D. C., Tuesday, have pitched camp at Rye Center, and it is a very martial looking array.

Some dozen local golf players leave here on Friday for Maplewood to play in the state meet.

CUSTODY OF CHILDREN HAS BEEN DECIDED

Cowles Divorce Proceedings Will Be Heard By Court on Original Libel and Will Not Be Contested

Affairs in the Cowles divorce case took a new turn today and while the attorneys for either side refuse to talk, it is known that the case will be cleared up this afternoon and the custody of the children has been agreed upon.

Judge Hale made it known this morning that he would proceed with a full trial this afternoon unless both sides came to a settlement over the children. This had much effect on the battling attorneys but not so much on Dr. Cowles personally, as the pleadings of his mother who has been continually appealing to him to give in to the peaceful settlement for the good of the children. She has been very much affected since the conferences opened on Monday and it was she who caused her son to consider the future welfare of the two girls and give up his stubborn fight for absolute control of both. In her pleadings with her son she is known to have pictured

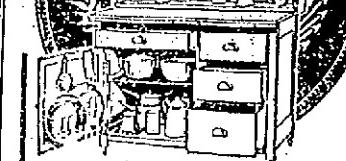
a mother's love for her children, and this coupled with the nervous strain on her system since the beginning of the case, brought him to the final agreement on the children.

Mrs. Cowles and her husband will have divided guardianship of the girls and each will have the privilege of seeing them once a week while in charge of the other. At no time are they to be in the presence of Dr. Goodall of Boston or Mrs. Harry J. Jaquith, the mother of Mrs. Cowles, residing at Brookline, while in the care of Mrs. Cowles. The question of property, especially wedding presents was argued during the entire conference and this was cleared up by the agreement of Mrs. Cowles to return all that she had in her possession.

At 10:30 the clerk of the court announced that testimony for divorce would be taken at 2 o'clock. This is

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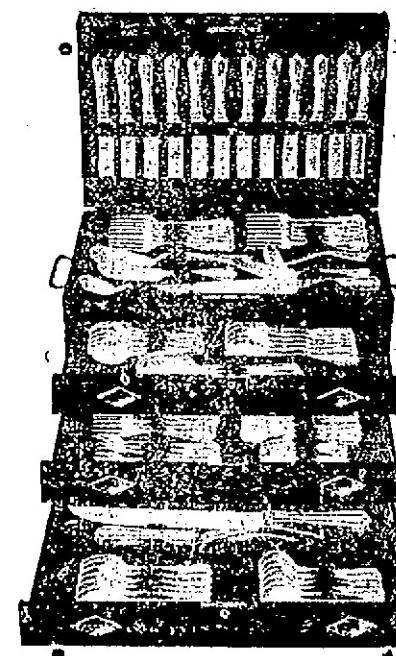
Registration Day

SATURDAY

Of This Week

Remember that just for writing your name in our Guest-Book, you will receive 50 Booster Coupons, which you may keep or give to one of your Booster friends.

Next Monday the first count of Booster Coupons will be made. Help your favorite to stand high.



The Booster Club can be made a source of pleasure and entertainment for your patrons and friends. We want you to feel, and make your friends feel, that our store is your headquarters.

PATRONS, beginning with next Monday's count of coupons, the race will be on for the weekly prizes of beautiful silverware. Come to the store and see them. Talk it over with your Booster.

In case of a tie, duplicate certificates will be awarded.

REGISTRATION DAY ON SATURDAY

COME WITH THE CROWD.

THE BOOSTER STORE

MARKET STREET

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YORK BEACH WINS FROM LOCAL CHAMPS

Two Unearned Runs in First Inning Yesterday Takes Game From P. A. C.

A base on balls and two errors in the first inning of the game between the P. A. C. and York Beach yesterday afternoon, allowed the latter to score two runs, sufficient to win from the Sunset League Champs, 2 to 1. Although Bill Leary pitched ball that the visitors failed to find for a hit during the five innings, his giving a base on balls and making an error after a passed ball, allowed the first run.

Hope was still alive in the P. A. C. players until the third man in the fifth inning was out, they were unable to score but one run. And the boys played at a tight ball after the first inning, making all sorts of grand stand plays and getting men on bases. But the "timely" hits were missing. It should have been the P. A. C.'s game as they made four hits, one a double, and their work in the field was far ahead of that of the visitors. Charlie Brackett, Bill Brackett and Howard were playing top-notch ball all through the game, Charlie making a wonderful stop of O'Brien's grounder in the third inning, following it up with a perfect throw to first. The play had to be fast. Bill Brackett made the next play in a similar manner when Thornton drove a hit one towards him and Bill Leary kept up the good work by getting Knox on his hard hit ball.

The Game:

1st Inning.—Thornton was walked and went second on a passed ball. Knox hit to Leary who missed the ball and the batter was safe at first, Thornton falling. Stewart fanned. McKenna was out on a foul fly to Charlie Brackett. Duffy hit to Harrington who allowed the ball to get away to the outfield, Knox scoring. Duffy was out at second, Tredick to Leary to Harrington, trying to make the bag as Knox was crossing the plate. Two runs.

R. Brackett pasted one to left for a single. He stole second. Bill Brackett picked out a good one and helped it to center for two bases, scoring Ralph Brackett. Leary was passed. Tredick, Double plays, Flannagan and Stewart. Wild pitch, O'Brien. Passed ball, R. Brackett. Time, 1h. Umpire, Woods. Attendance \$80.

GREENLAND

Mrs. Marion Lawrence of Lynn is spending her vacation with relatives here.

Mrs. Lucy Barnard and Dr. Belle Barnard of Boston are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Baldwin.

William Mann of Wakefield, Mass., has been visiting his sister, Miss Sarah Mann.

Mrs. Eunice O. Gleason and little daughter Elizabeth of Newfields are the guests of Miss Lois Beck.

Miss Edith Clough has returned from an extended absence in Manchester.

ORIGIN OF JUNE WEDDINGS

The first people to adopt the month of June as sacred to marriage, were the ancient Romans who considered June the most propitious season of the year for entering upon matrimonial relations. The Roman maid held that June weddings were likely to be happier than alliances con-

STALLINGS TO SHAKE UP BRAVES; CONNOLLY MAY BE TRADED



CONNOLLY

SUNSET LEAGUE WILL BANQUET THIS EVENING

"INDOOR BASEBALL" WILL BE THE PROGRAM AT ODD FELLOWS HALL AT THE BIG DINNER.

The banquet to the players of the Sunset League, Portsmouth's novel baseball organization, will be held this evening in Odd Fellows Hall at seven o'clock. The banquet will be given to the players by the League and one public spirited citizen of the city. The guests are the members of the six teams comprising the league, the managers of the teams, umpires and scorers.

All of the players are planning to be present and a great evening is assured. Many of the battles fought on the diamond will be played again this evening across the tables, disappointments and young quarrels will be forgotten, ticks against decisions of the umpires will be forgiven, nothing that will mar the harmony and pleasure of the evening will be allowed.

The fine plays which have been pulled off during the season, and there were hundreds, will be talked over—and some of the funny "bones" will be laughed about as well—and if the boys who have been working so hard for the amusement of the fans don't have one great good time it will not be the fault of the boys or the hosts.

TO OPEN THE SEASON WE WILL OFFER
600 Pairs
Lace Curtains
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150 Prs. \$1.00 Dutch Scrim at 47c

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KITTERY POINT

Items of Interest from the Harbor Town.

Mrs. William Lynch and son Paul are passing a few days with Mrs. M. M. Seawards.

Stephen Favour and daughter Miss Marion have returned to their home in East Boston after visiting relatives in town for two weeks. Mrs. Favour will remain in town a while longer.

Miss Mildred Brooker left Tuesday for her home in Newark, N. J., after passing several weeks in town.

A lawn party of the First Christian church will be held at the home of the pastor this Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Howard Favour of Fontana, Cal., is visiting Charles Favour at his home.

Mrs. J. C. Abbott is passing a few days in Boston.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Free Baptist church will meet with Mrs. George Kimball at her bungalow Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Daniel Fisher and two children, Byron and Eleanor, are passing a few days with relatives in North Berwick.

E. C. Blanchard and Mrs. Eva Sanborn of Uxbridge, Mass., passed Monday in town as the guests of Miss Hazel Christopher.

Miss Susanna Usher who has been passing the summer in Elliot, will pass the remainder of the season in town.

Mrs. J. C. Rydell who has been passing the summer here left for her home in Boston on Tuesday.

Miss Frances Pfleider of Limerick is visiting Captain and Mrs. T. B. Hoyt. Miss Alice Corson has returned to her home in Fairfield, Me., after passing ten days with Mr. and Mrs. Morris in Seaward.

Mrs. Carrie Frisbee, widow of Capt. Henry Frisbee, late of this town died in Portland on Monday. The funeral was held this afternoon at the Free Baptist church, Rev. E. W. Cummings officiating. Interment was in the Baptist cemetery. Mrs. Frisbee was a woman of sweet disposition and many lovable traits of character, and will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends. She was a life member of the W. C. T. U. and whose influence was always on the side of right.

The meeting at the Congregational church to have been held on Friday evening, September 3, has been postponed until 7.30 o'clock, Friday evening, September 10.

A meeting of the members of the First Congregational church and parish will be held at the Community House on Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock. A large attendance is desired as business of importance will come up for discussion.

The communion of the Lord's Supper will be held at the Congregational church on Sunday, September 12, instead of the 5th as previously announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson and daughter Miss Eleanor, passed today in Biddeford, making the trip by auto.

ANOTHER GAME ARRANGED

Manager W. F. Woods of the P. A. C. has arranged for another game with the York Beach nine to be played in this city Thursday afternoon at 5.30 o'clock. The two teams are well matched and should draw a large crowd of spectators.

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Mr. Howard Frost and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Langley of Boston have returned from a delightful visit to Northern Maine and Rangeley Lakes. On their return they called on Portsmouth friends.

MAKING GOOD THEIR RETREAT

Russians Retire in Good Order, Inflicting Heavy Losses On Germans-Italians Continue Big Gains

London, Aug. 31.—Duke Nicholas continues to withdraw his armies along the middle Niemen and as far south of the Prripet and also along the line of the upper Bug and the Zlota Lipa. Still rear guard actions costly to the Germans are the rule on both lines of retreat north and south. In Courland and in the direction of Dvinsk there also is stubborn fighting. It would appear that they are making good their retreat without great loss, as neither Vienna nor Berlin claims any extensive captures of prisoners or booty.

The fall of Yipsk rings the attacking forces nearer Grodno, the last big fortress on the first line of defense to be retained by the Russians.

Petrograd, Aug. 31.—An official communication made public by the War Office last night says:

"What of Friederstadt (Courland) the engagements Saturday and Sunday continued to be of the same stubborn character as previously. Developing their operations the Germans simultaneously opened attacks against our troops on Troneou, on the Ekuau-Nekut railway and against the village of Blaschken.

"In the direction of Dvinsk there is no essential change. At some points on Saturday our troops assumed the offensive.

"In the direction of Vilna the fighting continues on approximately the same front. The enemy, having crossed to the right bank of the Niemen in the region of Orla, attempted Sunday to advance in the direction of Orany. On the remainder of the front along the middle Niemen and towards the south as far as the river Prripet our armies continue their retirement covered by rear guards which on Saturday repulsed a series of German attacks in the region of Lopuk, inflicting heavy losses. Farther south our rear guards arrested a stubborn offensive of strong enemy forces from the west on the front of Prusso-Goroditz.

"In the region of Vladimir-Wolynski the enemy, having changed the disposition of his troops, continued Sunday his offensive with strong forces in the direction of Vladimir-Wolynski and toward Lutsk. North of Lutsk fighting has occurred on both sides of the river Styx."

Gain on Northern Isonzo

Rome, Aug. 31.—The following official communication received from main headquarters of the Italian army, under yesterday's date, has been given out:

"As in Vni Sugara, our reconnaissance, pushing out toward Cima Cista—gloos feet high—which dominates from the northwestern side our posi-

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DANISH SOLDIER GUARDING MINE

Photo by American Press Association.

Among the questions raised by Germans when the Arable was reported sunk was whether a submarine compassed the destruction of the liner or she struck a mine such as the one shown in the illustration. Many of these mines have been washed up in the war zones. The site pictured lies above on the beach of the Danish island of Fano, in the North sea, and a Danish soldier was set to guard it to keep any meddlesome person from setting it off.

"Since my last communication of Aug. 18, there has been no fighting on our front to report. There has been a certain amount of mining activity but conditions generally have been normal.

"Both on the 18th and the 21st we succeeded in shooting down enemy aeroplanes. On the 25th our heavy artillery set fire to a railway train at Langenmark Station (about five miles northeast of Ypres). On the same evening our Royal Flying Corps cooperated with our allies in an aerial attack on the forest of South Hurst, which was successfully carried out, without the loss of any machines."

Air Raid on Ghent

Amsterdam, via London, Aug. 31.—A telegram received here from Maashoede says that aviators of the Allies destroyed last Saturday a large building at Ghent, Belgium, used by the Germans for housing aircraft.

Unable to Cope With Allies

Paris, Aug. 31.—The new French system in handling the air fleet has greatly restrained the German air activities according to a letter from a German aviator, printed in the *Temps* today. It says:

"My squadron has been withdrawn because the French aeroplanes now appear only in large numbers, either for reconnaissance or to bar our scouts systematically. The latter task is accomplished thus: Ten machines patrol our line at a height of 2000 meters and ten more at 3000, but flying in the opposite direction so that if the German scouts try to get through he is attacked by the nearest two Frenchmen above and below simultaneously, others joining if the two are insufficient to stop him. Their bomb-throwing is operated with similar numbers. We must follow their example or yield command of the air."

Capturing Many Ottomans

Petrograd, Aug. 31.—The following official statement was issued last night at the headquarters of the Army of the Caucasus:

"On the entire front there have been only minor engagements and changes. During the recent fighting up to Aug. 22, we made prisoners, 84 officers and 5000 men, while our cavalry, pursuing the Turks on the roads to Doulak, seized over 2000. We also captured twelve guns and a quantity of war material."

Takes Refugees to Crete

Paris, Aug. 31.—The United States transport ship Chester has arrived at Canea, Crete, with 470 refugees expelled from Beirut, Syria, by the Turks, according to a *Hayas* despatch from Athens. The refugees include citizens of all the Quadruple Entente Powers, as well as of several other nations. The Chester will return soon to Beirut for another shipload of Europeans who have been ordered out of Turkey. Another American warship is expected at Canea with refugees from Alexandria, Asiatic Turkey.

Galata Bridge Blown Up

London, Aug. 31.—An Athens despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says that a submarine of the Allies has blown up a portion of the bridge between Constantinople and the suburb of Galata. It is not apparent whether this is merely an echo of the similar report of several weeks ago, which brought forth a denial from Constantinople.

Read the Want Ads.

INVITATIONS GIVEN TO THOUSANDS

An invitation to visit Portsmouth and the Portsmouth Fair on the 6, 7 and 8th of this month is extended to the thousands of people in New England. This, the first annual fair of the Southern New Hampshire Agricultural Association, will be one of the finest "beauty fairs" ever held in this section of the country. Everything possible to make the visit to Portsmouth pleasant has been looked after by the officers and directors of the association, and a first rate educational and amusement exhibition has been planned. There is no possibility of the affair being anything but the biggest kind of success, no matter what angle one looks at the enterprise.

For those who enjoy seeing fine cattle, there will be one of the greatest exhibits of live stock ever gathered at one time. This will include the best of the blooded stock from the best farms in this section of New England. There will also be included among these fine teams of draft steers as well as milch cows. Many of the cattle in this section are blue ribbon winners at the big fairs and they will be on exhibition here.

To those who are interested in the farm products.—The farms about Portsmouth are among the best in the country. The quality of the produce raised is hardly believed by even the people who are living within a stone's throw of these very farms. This fair will be an education to many.

To the lovers of the horse—some of the best in the draft and racing stock from the breeding and racing stables from the section of the country east of the Ohio will be shown.

For the women who are interested in knowing how the wives of the farmers employ their time—An exhibition from the different granges in the towns about the city will be held. There will be exhibits of the arts and crafts in all kinds of work, new methods for the canning of fruits and other things will be demonstrated, new ways of cooking foods, including meats and vegetables, in fact, everything that the successful housewife is interested in has been covered in the list of entries.

There will be several special amusement novelties introduced for the visitors who are at the fair simply for the pleasure that they can obtain. The Midway, without which no fair can boast the name of "fair," will be one of the best that has been gathered; John Gammon, one of the most experienced aerial experts, will undertake a balloon ascension daily, making his drop from the balloon by means of four parachutes. Mr. Gammon is the only man in the business who has done this, first with more than a triple drop.

The directors have been busy for months in their efforts to provide every thing essential to the comfort and pleasure of their guests. Ample provisions have been completed for the feeding of as many as 25,000 guests on the opening day. Plenty of police protection has been provided. The new buildings at the park are ready, and

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SECRETARY GARRISON ATTACHES LITTLE IMPORTANCE TO REPORTS—MATTER IN HANDS OF DEPARTMENT.

EXPORTS TO AMERICA TO BE RELEASED ON CONDITION THEY NOT BE EXPORTED.

Washington, Aug. 31.—Final acceptance by Russia of the agreement for modifying the Russian embargo against exports to the United States was communicated to the State Department yesterday.

Under the agreement all goods coming to the United States from Russia will be consigned to the Secretary of Commerce and will be distributed to the importers only when the Secretary and the Russian Embassy here have been satisfied that the goods will not be reexported to enemies of Russia.

Application for export permits will be handled by the commercial agent of the Department of Commerce in New York and the Russian commercial agent there. Bonds to guarantee against reexportation will be required.

The agreement is expected to release millions of dollars' worth of merchandise, which American importers have been vigorously seeking. Hides and skins, fur, vetch seed and mineral oil are some of the more important products wanted.

NOTICE.

Persons wishing to exhibit fancy work at the Portsmouth fair please communicate with Miss Margaret Goodwin, Tel. 11763.

The Flying Squad was called last evening to put out a blaze near the new state armory caused by a brush fire. The call was sent in at 7:10 by telephone and the auto chemical did not return to the house until some time after 8:00 o'clock.

The big machine made quick time in getting to the scene of the blaze and it was necessary to use a stream from one of the hydrants, as well as playing on the fire with the chemical. Considerable territory was burned over but there was no serious damage resulting.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The following prices f.o.b. Detroit, effective Aug. 2, 1915.

Ford Runabout	\$390.00
Ford Touring Car	440.00
Ford Town Car	640.00

No speedometer included in this year's equipment, otherwise cars fully equipped.

There can be no assurance given against an advance in these prices at any time. We guarantee, however, that there will be no reduction in these prices prior to Aug. 1, 1916.

Profit-Sharing with Retail Buyers

On August 1, 1914, we made the announcement that if we could make and sell at retail \$300,000 Ford cars between August 1, 1914, and August 1, 1915, we would share profits with the retail purchasers to the extent of from \$40 to \$60 on each car. We have sold over \$300,000 Ford cars in the time specified, and profit-sharing checks of \$50 each will be distributed as rapidly as possible after August 15, 1915. Retail purchasers who have not yet mailed us their profit-sharing coupons, properly endorsed, should do so without delay.

Our plan to profit-share with retail purchasers of Ford cars during 1914-1915 has been most successful. We thoroughly believe in it, but realizing the uncertainty of conditions generally makes it advisable to defer any announcement of future profit-sharing until a later date. We are, however, confident of our ability to reduce costs for several months, and therefore can offer no profit-sharing for cars delivered during August, September and October, 1915.

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Portsmouth, N. H., Wednesday, September 1, 1915.

Attacks Are Ill Advised.

The attempt of Messrs. Meyer and Gardner to make it appear that Secretary Daniels is responsible for any naval unpreparedness is mighty poor politics, and these gentlemen, if they proceed along that line, will find that they are doing harm to Republican prospects. Their attacks are ill-advised and are not borne out by evidence.

The American people believe that the navy is in a better condition than it was two years ago, and that ship for ship and man for man it has no superior in the world.

Mr. Daniels, as a conscientious, honest, and far sighted American, is gaining friends from day to day. He is not abusing his enemies, but is going his own way, doing what he thinks is for the interest of the service. The officers, excepting a certain class, are thoroughly and sincerely with him.

The Republicans will have political capital to work on other than trying to prove that the navy they built up, and which they boasted of, is not the navy of today.

It is unfortunate that a few Republicans, drunk with their own importance and their own millions, have set themselves up to dictate (themselves into office again) the policies of all government departments.

This newspaper believes in supporting the President and his cabinet in all that pertains to the upbuilding of the army and navy, and in every honorable effort that is put forward to keep this country out of war.

Mr. Daniels is a thorough American and is giving an honest service to the people. He is not an aristocrat or a snob. Mr. Meyer and Mr. Gardner need advice. Their tongues are making them appear ridiculous.

If there are any who prophesied the failure of the peach crop this year they are not standing around now and shouting "I told you so." The markets are glutted with the fruit as never before and growers are on the verge of utter discouragement. Yet there is complaint that in many cities the dealers are exacting from consumers higher prices than should prevail under the circumstances, making it plain that the days and practices of the "middleman" are not yet at an end.

In a speech at Berkley the other day ex-President Taft said that California is conducting a "clinical laboratory for social and political experiments." And the country can well afford to leave most of this experimentation to California and some of the western states that are working along the same line. It is as far to automatically correct state government as it is to Tipperary.

Kentucky is getting after the night-riders in a way that looks like business. Two members of this modern Ku Klux Klan have pleaded guilty and been sentenced to prison, several others have been indicted and the authorities appear to be thoroughly in earnest in their efforts to protect the people of the state against organized thuggery.

Postmaster General Burleson continues to push the automobile into the rural delivery service, and this is well. Where the roads will permit the use of this machine there is no excuse for toting the mails about the country with horses and wagons. The use of the auto where practicable saves both time and expense.

What is believed to be a complete accounting of the lives lost in the recent great storm in Texas places the number at 275. It is impossible for people at this distance to fully comprehend the frightfulness of such a visitation, and they have a right to be devoutly thankful that they live in a safer region.

It is admitted that the governors who attended the governors' conference in Boston recently had a good time, so far as they were able to stand the almost incessant round of entertainment, but certain newspaper expressions would indicate that the practical results will not be very weighty.

China is reported to have raised the cry, "Chinese goods for China," with a boycott instead of a protective tariff as a means of defense against imports. And, owing to facts that are well understood, the boycott against Japan will be spelled with capital letters.

The United States is now the greatest exporting nation in the world. In this the people of the country will naturally take pride, though many would be glad if beef were not quite so conspicuous in the list of exports.

Another big shipment of gold has arrived in New York from London. No wonder the metropolis is patting itself on the back as the financial center of the world.

Dog days are near their end and it is to be hoped that their brand of weather will go with them.

CURRENT OPINION

A Japanese Exclusion Law Would Be Illogical and Unnecessary.

There is at present no danger of a break between Japan and the United States. The Chinese situation has changed all that.

There is no doubt that the Japanese people were growing more dissatisfied with the present agreement by which the Japanese government refuses to issue passports to Japanese laborers to emigrate to this country. That agreement, since it was made in 1907, has been faithfully kept by Japan.

Members of congress, trade unionists, business and professional men and others from all classes who believe in replacing the agreement with Japan by a discriminatory law, like the Chinese exclusion act, do not recognize the fact that there is no problem of Japanese immigration to be solved in this way. They should recognize this. The agreement has been more effective than the Chinese exclusion act.

The agreement is working better than any thing else could, and it would be most illogical to enact an exclusion law so long as the agreement is effective.

It is always illogical to enact any law unless there is an actual problem to be solved by doing so. In this case there isn't.

And such a law would be too serious an affront to offer a people jealous of its honor and determined to command the treatment due to a first class nation. So long as Japan is abiding by the agreement it would be a national insult to pass an exclusion law.—By Professor H. A. Millis, Department of Economics, University of Kansas.

TO HOLD FIELD DAY

Eliot Firemen Planning Big Celebration for Labor Day.

A field day will be held under the auspices of the South Eliot Company of the Eliot Volunteer Fire Association, Labor Day, on Pleasant street, near Welch's Corner, South Eliot. The morning program is as follows: 9 a. m.—Baseball, 12 m.—Dinner to Fire Company. The menu:

Baked Clams
Boiled Lobsters
Baked Potatoes
Pickles

Bread Pie Coffee

Afternoon program of sports at 2 p. m. as follows:

Three-legged race for men; three-legged race for women; sack race for men; wheelbarrow race for men; tug-of-war for men; obstacle race for men; potato race for women; bicycle race for boys; one hundred yard dash for boys; 100 yard dash for women; 100 yard dash for girls; shoe race for men; one-half mile race for men; rowing race for men and women; pig race for boys.

5:30 p. m.—Supper served.

7:30 p. m.—Firemen's Muster.

This is public. All are invited to races free. Application for entries can be made to Mr. Partridge by telephoning 712-J or to either member of committee in charge. There will be two prizes for each race.

The two new auto fire trucks will be on exhibition in the afternoon and a hose laying contest will be held between the Eliot and South Eliot companies.

This field day promises to be the biggest event held in Eliot this year and a large crowd from the surrounding towns is expected to attend.

SAYS IT'S GOOD THING.

Believes That Board Has Done Much for Dover Police Department.

Chairman Mac of the deposed Dover police commission when asked for a statement had the following to say: "I see no reason why the Republicans should not use their power to turn us out if they see fit," said he. "I have no regrets whatever. It may be a good thing all around. Let the Republicans see what they can do."

"Speaking for myself, and I believe members of the outgoing board, I have a comfortable feeling that we have from the beginning until now used our best endeavors to establish and maintain an efficient police force and to improve the service in every possible way. In making appointments of officers we have aimed to pick young, capable men, physically and morally regardless of politics some of the best

men of the force who were on duty when we took office in 1913. We believe that we have accomplished results that the people as a whole appreciate.

"Whatever our successors will do with our wagon (meaning police ambulance, which has been under injunction and in litigation ever since it was purchased, June 1, 1914, and operated in all emergencies at the personal expense of the commissioners) you will put it down that the people of Dover will never submit to the police department's going back to the old-time method of calling on job teams for hauling unruly drunks to the police station and for service in cases of accidents and other emergencies."

Chairman Mac spoke in praise of Chief of Police Clark as a conscientious, painstaking official.

WOMAN AND THE WAR

In a hundred occupations now, among the warring nations, women prove their usefulness, albeit skill;

Jobs in which but men are wanted, now those countries are confronted with a shortage of male help, the women fill.

In each case they are surprising in their attitude capsizing the belief in their unfitness for such roles;

Though unworthy of the ballot, they are called to wield the musket. Even by the men who think they scarce have sons!

When there's shortage of the metal At the front, if chief's would settle The dispute, the hibbers must be filled quite well.

And to keep the fight from waning Women are in daily training in the mysteries of making shot and shell.

For within each warring nation Woman now has found a station In the making of those things with men to kill.

And her dainty hand produces What is meant for war's soul uses With commendable devotedness and skill.

On, to think in the production Of those missiles of destruction That the women from necessity must fill!

When the hand that rocks the cradle Must attend the mold or ladle, Does it not thus femininity degrade?

And it's hard to think that woman Should be driven to inhuman tasks by war's undue necessity o'er there,

Such as making ammunition For destroying life, whose mission To create, not to destroy, it is, forever.

J. E. MOORE.

SOUTH ELIOT

The Ladies' Sewing Circle connected with the South Eliot Advent Christian church, will meet at the home of Mrs. Mary Hansen next Thursday afternoon.

Charles R. Qulin has returned from several days' business trip to Canobie Lake and other resorts.

SEPTEMBER MORNING

Somehow it seems to be the birthday of those twin sisters—work and worry. Playtime is over and the things to be done loom very large. The school bell will remind grown-ups as well as "kiddies" that the long grind is near. In a business way the signs are encouraging—the times look like more work and less worry. And the new impulse for energy naturally suggests the meeting ground for helper and helped—the advertising columns of this newspaper. It is the place where those already after business are making themselves known and where those with wants to be filled are finding answers to their questions.

EXPERTS SAY FEARS ARE GROUNDLESS

(Special to The Herald)

New York, Sept. 1.—Financial experts today characterized as groundless the fears expressed in some quarters that the decline of sterling exchange which on Tuesday brought the English pound down to 55 1-4 cents would result in the crippling of American export trade. They pointed out that the munitions of war now being purchased here by Great Britain are being paid for with gold sent here or with the proceeds from the sale of American securities sent from abroad would result.

SECRETARY OF THE NAVY DANIELS DENIES REPORT OF NAVAL BOAST

Appeals to Senator Henry Cabot Lodge for the Non-Partisan Support of New Program for the Navy.

Bar Harbor, August 31.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels has addressed the following letter to Secretary Lodge of Massachusetts:

Dear Senator: The Boston papers of Sunday reporting your speech at Riverside, quote you as making this statement: "Secretary Daniels said the navy is fit for any emergency." I never made any such statement to anybody at any place at any time. What I did say in my speech in Boston after the naval review which made the governors' conference and others proud of the splendid ships in the review was: "We should steadily strengthen the American navy so that it will be fit for any emergency." We are both agreed in favoring a larger and a stronger navy and deplored the fact that a two small program during past years denies us as strong a navy as we would have if every congress for twenty years had voted as much for new construction as the 63d congress had been as generous to the navy as the congress elected with President Wilson would now have almost as many battleships and submarines as the general board recommended. As you may not have the facts before you, I am sure you will be glad to have your attention called to the fact that during the first two years of the Wilson administration five dreadnaughts were ordered, as against two during the last two years of Taft, and the 63d congress ordered 26 submarines, as against 12 ordered by the 62d congress. If every previous congress had done as well for the navy in these particulars there would be less cause to worry about the navy of today.

I agree with you that the next congress should increase the number of men in the navy so as to have enough trained men for the new ships authorized. It may be interesting in this connection to state that when Presi-

MANY OFFICERS MADE PRISONERS

(Special to The Herald)

Berlin, Sept. 1.—During the month of August the German troops operating in the eastern and southeastern theaters of war captured 2,000 officers and 26,000 men, the general staff reported today. They also took 2,300 cannon and 500 machine guns. Continuing their terrific strides eastward the Teutonic troops have reached the outer line of the forts defending Grolle on the west.

NAVAL NOTES

Vessel Movements

The Dolphin has arrived at Bar Harbor. Sylph at Washington. Montana at Neapeague Bay. Terry, Roe and Walke at Gardner's Bay. Standish at Annapolis. Gloucester at Brooklyn. Cyclops at Norfolk. Neptune at Lambert Point. Eagle at Fort au Prince. Parker at Norfolk. Helen at Hankow. McDonough at New London. Yankton at Hampton Roads. Proteus at Cristobal. The Kentucky has sailed from New Haven for Philadelphia. Mayflower from Washington for Hampton Roads.

Birmingham, Paulding, Tripp, Burrows, Ammen, Cassin, Cummings, McDougal, Peterson, Roale, Fanning, Jarvis, Balch, Benham, O'Brien, and Nicholson, from Hampton Roads to sea. South Dakota from San Francisco for Astoria.

Navy Orders

Commander R. J. Leigh from bureau of steam engineering navy department, Washington, D. C., October 15. Lieutenant H. Jones, St. Louis, to three months' sick leave. Lieutenant J. O. Fisher from command K-6 to Bureau of Steam Engineering navy department. Chief Boatman J. Mahoney, to command the Fish Hawk.

Boatman J. J. O'Brien from command the Fish Hawk, to naval training station, Newport, R. I.

Chief Gunner J. Shenkel Jr., Washington navy yard to the Missouri. Chief Gunner S. Jacobs, Washington navy yard, to connection fitting out Pennsylvania and on board when commissioned.

Gunner W. Cox receiving ship at Norfolk, Va., to the Rhode Island. Gunner E. W. Connor the Idaho is bound for Washington, D. C. yard.

Pay Clerk C. C. Timmons, the Tennessee to the Alabama.

SAYS COW ATE PAINT.

Wants \$300 in Suit for Loss of Animal.

A valuable heifer owned by Franklin Cooper of Salem Depot, N. H., is alleged in a declaration filed with the clerk of the police court, died after eating paint intended for use April 2, on a sign board at Buckingham Park, and William Cooper, representing his son, has entered suit to recover \$300 damages from the Kimball System, Inc., of Lowell, charging the company's employees with carelessness in leaving the paint in the field.

The Kimball Company has filed a general denial and says that if the heifer ate the paint, she was trespassing on land leased by the company to the boy. No time has been set for the trial.

FREIGHT WRECK.

Two Cars Block Traffic on Conway Branch.

Two cars of a freight train bound north on the Conway branch of the Boston and Maine railroad were wrecked this morning and all traffic on the main line blocked for three hours. The Portsmouth wrecking train and crew were called. Fifteen minutes after the call was made, the entire crew of wreckers had assembled and the train was ready to leave the depot for the scene. It is safe to say that this is something in the way of hustl-

ing and cannot be beat by any other station on the system where a wrecking train is kept. No great delay of train service was occasioned by the wreck.

PLYMOUTH THEATRE

"The White Feather," William A. Brady's great New York and London success will be the opening attraction at the Plymouth Theatre, Boston, on next Monday afternoon.

The play contains all the ingredients and thrills necessary to satisfy the most blasé theatregoer, including German submarines and English warships; four German spies and two English secret service agents; a new recruit; an irascible M. P. and his daughter who of course, is in love with the secret service hero; a basket full of white feathers for cowards who do no tent; a wireless outfit concealed in the drawing room where the scene of the play is laid; a wonderful stereograph; and always to be forgotten pipe; a code book of signals which falls into the wrong hands; a carrier pigeon, a cane-shaped gun, which works wonders at the proper time; a couple of revolvers and a powerful searchlight, all add to the tremendous success and countless thrills of this big secret service war drama making it the positive sensation of London and New York.

"The White Feather," is only one of the many good things that will appear at this playhouse for this coming season. The same policy that has characterized the Plymouth Theatre as the home of high class theatricals else know how great he was! He as well as the "home of fashionable playgoers," will be continued for the men, he could command the world, in my judgment, he just won't, in good after, as before the war. The same case would hold true if Germany were beaten.

David Grayson writing his story, "Hempfield," in the August American Magazine describes as follows some of the sensations of a man's love: "Why, he could do anything for her; he could slave and dig and die! He could be great for her—and let

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CUSTODY OF CHILDREN HAS BEEN DECIDED

(Continued from Page One.)

to be the final movement in the case and it is understood that Dr. Cowles will not contest the case. The hearing will be on the original bill filed by Mrs. Cowles in December. No sensational evidence will be presented and the amended bill with names of correspondents filed by Mrs. Cowles will not figure in any way.

At 2 o'clock Chief Justice Pike called the case. Mrs. Florence J. Cowles was the first witness called. She told of her marriage and the conditions that had surrounded her life since she came to this city and the effect on her nervous system due to the fact that she was associated for sixteen hours a day with the patients at the Cowles sanatorium. When she left Portsmouth in December for her mother's home she was a nervous wreck and at times became hysterical. She stated she had been under the care of a physician continually since that time, Drs. Brown and Osgood of Boston. She appealed to Dr. Cowles before leaving to take a summer house which they could occupy and she give more time to their children, but he refused to consider her request. The constant strain of working sixteen hours a day compelled her to give up work. She had full control of Mr. Cowles' business, being in charge of all the nurses in the sanatorium, the care of the home, and did all of the buying of the provisions in Boston, as well as other duties.

Mrs. Harry J. Jaquith, her mother, was the next witness.

Mrs. Jaquith said that she visited the home of her daughter many times since she took up her residence here and she considered her a dutiful wife and mother and that she was in a state of collapse when she came home in December and was constantly under the care of a physician.

Dr. G. M. Brown of Boston stated he had treated Mrs. Cowles for some affliction of the jaw that was caused by a severe mental strain and overwork.

Court took recess at 2:30 until 3 o'clock to await the arrival of Dr. Osbourne.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of Orwin Griffin will be held from his late home on State street Friday afternoon at two o'clock. Friends invited.

The Herald contains the news of the surrounding towns.



CITY OF PORTSMOUTH, N. H.
AUDITOR'S OFFICE

Sealed proposals are solicited for painting and varnishing Fire Engine No. 4 and for varnishing Hose Wagon No. 4.

All iron is to be burnt off and scraped, and all loose paint sanded off to a smooth surface before being covered with a coat of lead, a coat of color, a coat of rubbing color, and striping in gold. The finishing coats are to consist of two coats of rubbing varnish, properly rubbed down, and one coat of finish varnish. All steel used is to be A1, first class material. This steamer is to be painted in the same color and style as Steamer No. 4.

Hose Wagon No. 4 is to be given one coat of A1 varnish, properly applied.

All work is to be done under the direction of, and satisfactory to, the Committee on Fire Department.

Tenders to be enclosed in sealed envelopes and plainly marked, should be sent to the City Auditor, on or before

Thursday, September 2d, 1915, at 5:00 p.m. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

By order

Committee on Fire Department,

Duncan, Holt and Smart.

August 31, 1915.

PORTLAND HAS LARGE FIRE LOSS

Plant of the Twitchell-Champlin Company Damaged to the Extent of \$75,000 in Early Morning Fire

Portland, Me., Sept. 1—Nearly \$250,000 worth of general merchandise and the big plant in which it was housed together with the manufactory and storage plant of the Twitchell-Champlin Company, wholesale grocers and packers on Merrill's wharf was destroyed by fire early this morning making it necessary to send in three alarums to get men and apparatus with which to handle the blaze, while 25 men from the new cutter Ossipee under Lieut. F. A. Nichols came ashore and rendered valuable assistance to the local firemen.

The plant is covered by insurance, but the exact amount the managers did not care to give out.

The building in which the fire originated is 30 years old and was built by the Twitchell-Champlin Co. The same building was gutted by fire ten years ago which caught in the candy department and following this fire another story was added to the building.

At three o'clock the entire west side of the building fell outside, making a spectacular sight witnessed by 10,000 people from nearby wharves and buildings.

At 3:15 the fire had raced the on-

length of the building which is 700 feet long from the fire wall to the end.

The fire was discovered by the night watchman of the plant, Fred Getchell, shortly after 12:15. He had just made his rounds and was coming out of the manufactory on the east side when he saw tongues of flames leaping through the building.

Rushing inside he pulled in the private box over the A. D. T. system, 416 and immediately upon the district chief's arrival, he ordered in Box 412 following it at 12:40 with another alarm from the same box which called all the available apparatus to the fire-ridden district. By this time the flames were leaping through from both east and west sides of the building and the third and fourth floors were furnaces while the fire was working its way up through the fifth floor of the brick building.

The fire originated it is thought from a soldering machine in the third story, which is the jam manufactory department of the establishment. An investigation has been begun into the cause of the fire, following a report that it was set.

passed Tuesday in Boston. The Riverside Reading Club will meet on Friday afternoon with Mrs. Lucia Rudolph of Curtis avenue.

Train Academy will reopen on Monday, Sept. 12.

Mrs. Ella Cole returned to her home in South Elliot today after passing a few days in town the guest of Mrs. J. Edgar Burnham of Wodlowne avenue.

A business meeting of the Philatelic Club will be held at 7 o'clock Thursday evening in the vestry of the Second Christian church. All members are requested to attend as business of importance will be discussed.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William O'Brien of Rice avenue is quite ill.

Mrs. J. Edgar Burnham of Woodlawn avenue entertained Mrs. C. J. Yeomans and Miss Alice True at 171 Columbia avenue, this city, were shot and probably fatally wounded while riding in an automobile in Nayatt, near here this evening. The shots were fired from another machine which passed the Mr. car when it was stopped in a dark spot on Washington avenue half way between West Barrington and Nayatt.

George W. Heals, 26, a negro who has been chauffeur for Dr. Mohr for two months is being held by the police who believe that he may be able to help them clear the mystery.

According to stories told the police of this city Heals stopped the car, claiming that there was engine trouble, and was tinkering with the motor when the other machine came from the direction of West Barrington. Five shots were fired, four of them taking effect. Doctor Mohr was hit in the head and in the right shoulder, while the Burger woman was shot in the shoulder and in the head.

Persons on the road along which the machines were traveling told the police that the machines were but a few minutes apart. Heals claims to the police that he did not see the other car. He also denies having seen the person who brought Emily Burger to the Rhode Island hospital in this city.

Neither has been able to make any statement to the police that will assist them in solving the case.

LATER

Dr. C. Franklin Mohr, the wealthy and prominent physician of Newport and Providence who was mysteriously shot last evening with Miss Emily Burger, his maid and secretary, while dining from here to Newport, died in the Rhode Island hospital in this city at 9:40 o'clock this morning, without regaining consciousness. Miss Burger who was shot in the head is recovering in the same hospital.

KITTERY

Breezy Items from the Village Across the River.

Oscar Colburn of Rice avenue is taking an enforced vacation from his duties at the navy yard on account of illness.

Dr. J. M. Frost of Portland, who has been in town the past two days, left today for South Berwick.

A Christian Endeavor business meeting and social will be held at the home of Mrs. J. Edgar Burnham, Woodlawn avenue, on Thursday evening. All members are requested to bring fancy crackers.

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home at Locko's Cove on Tuesday, after a few months' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Ford and family of Menominee, Mich.

Fred Loring of Rice avenue is recovering nicely from the effects of the injuries received in Monday's accident.

The members of the Biddeford board

BIDDEFORD BOARD OF TRADE ON OUTING

ORWIN GRIFFIN DIED AT HOME LAST EVENING

HAD LIVED IN THIS CITY SINCE
1853 AND WAS ACTIVE UP TO A
FEW DAYS OF HIS DEATH

Orwin Griffin, one of Portsmouth's best known, and until recently one of its most active citizens, died at his home on State street at 5:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

He was a native of Methuen, Mass., and was born April 2, 1833, the third son of Josiah and Lydia Griffin. A year after his birth the parents moved to Lowell, and his education was gained in the schools of that city.

When twenty years old the subject of this sketch came to Portsmouth, where he had ever since resided and respected of all men. For over a quarter of a century he was in the employ of the Portsmouth Gas Company and when the Rockingham Light and Power Company came as its successor Mr. Griffin's services were continued.

On December 24, 1854, he married Miss Mary M. Locke, daughter of Jeremiah and Hannah A. Locke, the ceremony being pronounced by Rev. Mr. Steele of Stratham. Five children came of this union, three of whom are now living, namely: George A. Griffin of Peabody, Lyman A. of Boston, and Ichabod G., a clerk in the Portsmouth postoffice.

The golden wedding of the couple was finely observed in 1894, and a large company was present to offer felicities to the worthy pair. Included in the troupe was a purse of \$50 in gold from the children and grandchildren.

Mr. Griffin joined New Hampshire Lodge of Odd Fellows on March 18, 1863, and was a past grand therein.

Later he also united with Strawberry Bank Encampment and had held several of its offices. For many years he had been outside guard for lodges of Odd Fellows in this city.

He had been a member of the North church for some years.

Few leave a more honorable record than does Mr. Griffin.

Ray T. Harris of Rumford, Me., is visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. J. J. McCarthy of Manchester, N. H., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Thompson of Kittery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Jones of this city are visiting friends in Melville, Mass.

Joseph Norton of Danvers, Conn., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Higgins of Pleasant street.

Mrs. Julia Hogan of Cambridge, Mass., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy O'Leary of State street.

Miss Mae Ross of Milford, Mass., has returned home after a visit with relatives in this city and York Beach.

Mrs. James C. Lyiston of Daniel street has returned from Portland, Me., where she has been the guest of friends.

Mrs. George A. Carlton and daughter of North Adams, Mass., are visiting Uncle Carlton in Portsmouth for a few weeks.

Miss A. E. O'Connor of Islington street has returned from a visit to her brother, John J. O'Connor and family of Swansboro.

Miss Ella Batty and Miss Ruth Merrill of Portland, Me., are visiting Miss Batty's sister, Mrs. C. L. Catlin of Middle street.

John Cleary left this morning for Vicksburg, La., to join his family who have been passing the summer at that place with relatives.

Miss Annie Glynn of Montpelier, Vt., has been passing a vacation in this city as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Hafford of Wilbraham street.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schurman, Mrs. Charles Badger and Arthur Schurman have returned from a week's automobile trip to the White Mountains.

Mrs. Myrtle Staples and daughter of Alton Bay, N. H., have returned from a month's visit at Alton Bay.

Christopher H. R. Woodward, manager of the Frank Jones Brewing Co., has returned from New York where he was called by the death of his sister.

Miss Margaret Peterson who has been passing three weeks in this city as a guest of Mrs. Ernest Cook has returned to her home in North Chelmsford, Mass.

E. J. F. Littlefield, the well known lumber dealer, was able to resume his duties today after being confined to his home on Boyd road by illness for the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Jones, son George and Daniel Jr., of West New Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Hodges of Woodbury avenue.

Miss Mary Scully has returned to her duties as stenographer in the office of Attorney Arthur E. Sewall from Norwell, Mass., where she has been passing a two weeks' vacation.

Corp. E. J. Moneyenny of the marine barracks is spending a three days' leave with his mother and sister at their home in Brooklyn, N. Y. They have lately been visiting him here.

Mrs. S. W. Hollis of Attleboro, Mass., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Elroy F. Cottle of Government street, Kittery being present to attend the marriage of her brother, Chief Carpenter Brandt W. Wilson, U. S. N.

John W. F. Hobbs, son of Joseph O. Hobbs of North Hampton has formed a co-partnership with A. Perry Richards for the practice of law and opened an office in the Hobbs building, Davis Square, Somerville, Mass.

Theodore Dedes of Tripoli, Greece, is the guest of his son, Arthur Dedes, the well known fruit dealer. Mr. Dedes has been prominent in the affairs of his town for upwards of 20 years, being the tax collector. He is very much pleased with Portsmouth and its neighboring summer resorts and says they form a strong contrast to the tur-

A Little Out of the Way, But It Pays to Walk.

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RUSSIA'S
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(Special to The Herald)

Berlin, Sept. 1—Since May 2, Ger-

man troops have captured 1,100,000

Russians, according to an official re-

view of military operations today. The

review declared that at least 300,000

Russians were killed or wounded in

the same period, asserting that this

estimate is conservative.

itching, bleeding, protruding or blind pustules have yielded to Doan's Ointment 50% at all stores.

PERSONALS

Ray T. Harris of Rumford, Me., is visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. J. J. McCarthy of Manchester, N. H., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Thompson of Kittery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Jones of this city are visiting friends in Melville, Mass.

Joseph Norton of Danvers, Conn., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Higgins of Pleasant street.

Mrs. Julia Hogan of Cambridge, Mass., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy O'

MAY ESTABLISH HER HOME HERE

Mrs. Cowles May Live in Portsmouth If Divorce is Granted and She Wins Her Point Regarding Children

That Mrs. Cowles may take up her residence here for a part of the year, providing that the Doctor will accept her concessions in the matter of the guardianship of the two Cowles' children, Mary and Marriet, which has been the cause of the private conferences for the past two days, became known last evening. The latest and probably the last move, made by Mrs. Cowles, was the drawing up of a set of statements, which is said to contain five pages of matter, was presented to Doctor Cowles yesterday morning and the question of the custody of the children and to what Mrs. Cowles will agree, was covered fully. It is probably written in such a way that all the necessary law points involved are covered, may be stated in this way. Mrs. Cowles agrees that the children are to be in the custody of her and the Doctor jointly; each to be equally responsible; the law as their guardians. The agreement further states that the children, while in the custody of the Doctor are not to live at the sanatorium, but must be housed at some place mutually agreed upon.

While the children are in Portsmouth with their father, Mrs. Cowles will maintain a residence in the city that she may be near them and see them when she desires. On the other hand, during the time that the court gives Mrs. Cowles the custody of the little Court house was a repetition of what took place on Monday.

INFLUENCE OF WOMEN

Too Little is Known of Women Who Have Made Great Men Great

When Mrs. Thomas A. Edison first learned that her distinguished husband had been asked to serve on the advisory board of inventors and scientists to be appointed by Secretary Daniels

EXPORT GOODS TO NEUTRALS

BRITISH SHIPMENTS MOVING
FREELY, WHILE THOSE OF
AMERICA ARE HELD UP

Washington, Aug. 31.—Shipments of many classes of goods from the United States to neutral countries are attended "with great difficulties and hazards," while shipments of the same classes of goods by Great Britain to the same countries "are going forward freely and in some cases in largely increased quantities," is the statement of Robert P. Skinner, American Consul General in London, in a report to the State Department on the conditions of Great Britain's foreign trade. Consul General Skinner says that British exports of cotton to neutral countries for the year ended Aug. 5 totalled 445,813 bales, as compared with 271,080 bales in the corresponding period of 1914 and 315,757 bales in 1913. Of the British exports this year nearly one-half or 220,517 bales, represented cotton shipped from the United States. In 1914 American cotton represented in the British exports was 106,382 bales and in 1913 153,832 bales.

While British exports of cotton manufacturers showed a decrease as a whole, there were some notable increases especially to neutral countries. Great Britain found Argentina a good market, for instance, exports to that country in July of this year showing large increases. France is one of Great Britain's best markets for manufacturers of cotton, her purchases of certain classes of cotton last July being nearly 150 times greater than in the same month of last year. The export trade of Great Britain for July this year, according to Mr. Skinner's report, was valued at \$16,362,233, a decrease of \$17,126,512 over July, 1914, while her import trade showed an increase of \$78,690,335, the total being \$367,655,657. British exports of foreign merchandise for July were valued at \$15,787,577, a decrease of \$7,703,057 as against July, 1914.

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she decided to prevent his acceptance. When she learned that his work would be advisory and that he could stand the additional strain she gave her consent.

The incident aggravates the debt that every nation owes to its women. Much is heard of the women who cause men to wreck their lives. Much is heard of those who are frivolous and extravagant. Little is known however of the vast majority of women to whom men owe their salvation and the greatness of their careers.

The ideas of the youth of the country are formed of course by women. They lay the structure of education intelligence and high ideals upon which great nations are founded. But more than that they are the greatest single influence in the lives of great men.

In the quiet of the sitting room away from the jangled few that so frequently comes from personal contact with men and affairs, women have given the advice that has made nations better and stronger and finer and better. In the moments when statesmen, financiers and the captains of industry have been disengaged they have said the words that brought new hope and courage and the fight for bigger things has gone on.

Possibly it might have been better for Mr. Edison to talk on new burdens. To reduce rather than to increase his labors might have meant that he would have been spared to the nation for a longer term of usefulness. But the woman at his side knows him and the extent of his endurance better than he knows himself. Her approval of his acceptance is an assurance to the nation that he has made a wise as well as a patriotic decision.—Washington Star.

For Young Folks

Esther Morris, Handsomest Baby
In Staten Island, New York.



Photo by American Press Association.

A Fortune Telling System

By F. A. MITCHEL

A table was between them. They had been playing euchre. She suggested a game of hearts.

"No, thanks," he said, "I am not so stupid as to play a game of hearts with a coquette. Your victims are already sufficiently numerous without adding so unworthy a person as myself."

"You know very well what I mean. You simply wish to say something smart."

She was shuffling the cards, but her mind was not on them. What her mind was on, or rather, what was on her mind, did not interest him. She was right in inferring that his remark was intended for something smart.

While she was listlessly shuffling the cards she leaned forward so that the perfume of a dower she wore in her corsage was periously near his nose. Her red lips were still nearer his. She was looking down at the cards, but presently raised her eyes. They met his resting upon her admiringly, but she dropped them at once.

"Shall I tell your fortune?" she asked.

"Do." She began to distribute the cards on the table in four piles. Whenever she put a card on the fourth pile she paused and studied it. He asked her what process she was using and she told him it was one she had learned from a fortune teller. A spider lying for a fly is not expected to speak the truth.

She put down four cards, then another four cards, the second fourth card being the knave of spades.

"That's you," she said.

"I'm no knave."

"But you're awfully smart. You scintillate with bright sayings."

He swallowed this little bit of premonitory bait and it made him blushing for more.

Presently the ten of diamonds fell on the second pile of cards.

"That's a wealthy girl who is angling for you," said the fortune teller.

"What's her name?"

"I know her name, but I'm not going to tell you."

The two of spades fell in the first pile.

"A black deuce indicates that she is crafty. Better look out for her. She will make you a lot of trouble."

The ten of hearts fell on the first pile.

"That's the girl who really loves you. She is true hearted, and if you return her love she will make you very happy."

"I don't quite understand this scheme under which you are working all this out," he said, with a puzzled expression. "I don't see why the ten spots are a couple of girls or why you infer those things, no matter what ploy they fall on."

"Of course you don't. What kind of fortune would it be if you did?"

By this time she had dealt all the cards and, putting them together again, shuffled them and began anew, this time laying them in six rows, placing one card beneath another, so that all were exposed. The third card in the first column was the ten of diamonds, and the fourth card in the sixth column was the jack of clubs.

"Too bad!" exclaimed the fortune teller. "The expected has happened. The rich girl has thrown you over for a man who is brutal."

"That's the queerest fortune telling system to understand I ever came across," he said.

She continued to deal the cards very slowly. They were both watching them intently as they fell, gradually bending lower and lower over them. At last a rebellious strand of her hair grazed his forehead. A fine wire is sufficient to carry an electric current, and a few hairs may carry a low current. Ten of hearts fell at the bottom of the fifth column. She left her hand on it, and, putting his hand on it at the same time, he touched hers. She did not withdraw hers, and he maintained his position.

"Don't go any further till you have explained to me why this card falling at the bottom of the fifth column means that the girl who loves me is—"

"Is what?"

"What you're going to say about her."

"What am I going to say about her?" This dialogue, spoken slowly and softly, is not especially brilliant, but it was quite sufficient to serve the purpose of these two—that is, keeping their hands in touch. She raised her lashes and looked into his eyes with something that might have been reprobation; it might have been inviting; it might have been anything he chose to infer it to be. Meanwhile the fragrance of the flower mingled with her breath, crept about his nose and permeated through it up into his brain.

It would be sacrilegious to follow further the bleeding of these two young hearts. Besides, it would be a repetition of what has occurred since Cupid first began his pranks. And yet the little rascal has an infinite variety of ways of practicing his profession, and nothing is achieved in life in so many different ways as the drawing together of a pair of lovers.

"I say, mummy," he said when their daughter was receiving attention from a desirable party, "you'd better teach her that fortune telling game you taught me."

"It is not necessary," replied the wife and mother, with dignity.

"Humph! That's about as intelligent as your fortune system."

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THE ARABIC SUBMARINE THOUGHT SUNK

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The International News Service correspondent learned that the submarine continued its raiding the day after it sank the Arabic, when it attacked the Holland liner Nieuwland, and while it was holding up that steamer a patrol ship suddenly appeared and immediately began shelling the submarine. The under-water craft sank immediately, and all its crew were drowned.

A SONG OF THE TRENCH

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We are anxious to advance,
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A year we have been expecting
To get a fighting chance,
Sir John cannot leave the ladies
And we have to stay in France.

If we don't soon get a leader,
Who fair amur can't entice us,
We'll die here in the trenches
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Why slumber in a trance,
Recall the "pinks tea General,"
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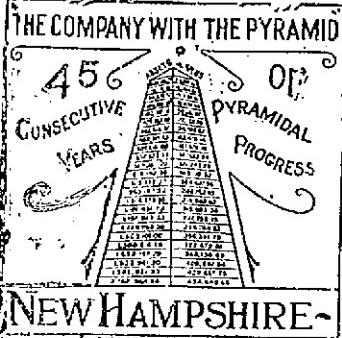
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Several of the buildings in the city including the Unitarian and Universalist churches, and the public library now present a handsome appearance owing to the wealth of English ivy that adorns the outer walls.

W. Horp, the locksmith and saw filer and lighter grinder, has moved to the new store on Penhallow street, next to the dye house.

Advances from one to four points in all the leading securities on the stock exchange immediately followed the announcement today that a break between the U. S. and Germany had been averted.

HOME MARKET CLUB BANQUET.

For years the Home Market Club banquets were classed among the most notable public gatherings. The leading men in public life graced these occasions. The famous McKinley dinner of February, 1890, is still spoken of in Republican and business circles. At another well remembered banquet, that of April 30, 1901, Theodore Roosevelt, then vice president, was the central figure, and the other guests were Hon. George F. Hoar, Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge, Rear Admiral W. T. Sampson, Hon. W. Murray Crane, then governor, Hon. William F. Draper, ex-ambassador to Italy, and Gen. Curtis Guild, Jr.

On Dec. 4, 1904, Vice President Fairbanks was the guest; on Nov. 30, 1906, Charles Heber Clark and Hon. James T. McCleary; on Feb. 13, 1908, Hon. Frank S. Black of New York and Hon. Henry T. Barnum of Ohio.

The twentieth banquet of the club will be held Wednesday evening, Sept. 29, at the Copley-Plaza hotel, Boston. The speakers on this occasion will be Hon. Henry Cabot Lodge, Hon. Lawrence Y. Sherman, United States Senator from Illinois, and Hon. William A. Prendergast, comptroller of the city of New York, and one of the best known of the younger Republican orators.

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THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and vicinity—Fair Wednesday and Thursday with rising temperature; moderate northwest winds becoming variable.

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N. H. LEAGUE FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE

Portsmouth Citizens Formulate Plans for Organization at Enthusiastic Meeting.

That Portsmouth is thoroughly aroused to the need of immediate action in the present acute conditions of our foreign relations was clearly evidenced at an enthusiastic gathering of representative business men at the city rooms Tuesday afternoon. A call for the meeting had been issued by the organizing committee of the League for National Defense, and the meeting was called to order by Mr. Francis M. Jencks, a resident of Dublin, N. H., and one of the above committee. Mr. Jencks described at length the woeful lack of means of defense existing throughout our entire nation, and pointed out with graphic clearness the exposed situation of this city, and the utterly inadequate means of properly defending Portsmouth navy yard against the attack of any first class power.

The remarks of Mr. Jencks were supplemented by a detailed statement by Mr. Thomas H. Wolahan, secretary of the League, showing what might happen if peace should be declared in Europe at an early date, leaving enormous military organizations with the flush of victory to spur them on to national aggrandizement.

An informal discussion then followed which was participated in by those present.

Upon a call of expression as to the desirability of forming in this city a branch of the League, the affirmative vote was unanimous.

The following executive committee was named to issue an call for a meeting in the near future at which a permanent organization should be effected: Mayor H. B. Yeaton, W. J. Cater, Geo. A. Wood, C. Le V. Brine, F. A. Gray, E. P. Stoddard, F. A. Belden, F. M. Sise, F. W. Hart, and D. W. Badger.

The above committee will secure the services of one or more speakers thoroughly conversant with the subject of national defense, and arrange early time.

CALIFORNIA LIMITED IN CRASH

JULIET, Ill., Sept. 1.—One woman was fatally hurt and sixteen other persons injured at noon today when the California Limited, crack coast train of the Santa Fe railroad, struck the rear end of the Chicago and Alton express on Brierton's bridge, five miles south of Juliet. The train carried 200 passengers.

THAW FILES SUIT FOR DIVORCE

Pittsburgh, Pa., Sept. 1.—Harry K. Thaw, through his attorney, former Governor Stone, filed suit for divorce against Evelyn Nesbit. Thaw here this afternoon. He charges adultery and names John Francis as co-respondent.

THE HERALD HEARS

That the Portsmouth Hospital is at present caring for 26 patients.

That the new police commission for Portsmouth may be a dark horse and will not be appointed until Councillor Scammon finishes his work on the Cowles case.

That with good weather the success of the Portsmouth fair is assured.

That the parties engaged in destroying the young trees on Jenkins avenue on Tuesday night may yet be landed by the police.

That such people should be behind the bars where they belong.

That the mean act of vandalism has continued since the trees were set out on that highway.

That the limit of the law will be in order for those who are brought before the court for such acts.

That Mary A. Burns is still at the state hospital and will if it be brought back to the jail here until next week to stand trial in connection with the death of her husband.

OBJEQUIES

Antoinette Garland
Funeral services of Mrs. Antoinette Garland were held at the home in Rye Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. George L. Browne conducting the ser-

vices. The bearers were Mr. James Perkins, John Marston, Arthur Brown, Fred Parsons. Interment was in Central cemetery in charge of H. W. Nickerson.

William Johnson
Funeral services of William Johnson were held at the home on Fore road Elliot, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. M. V. McAllister conducting the service. Miss Adlington sang "The Lord is my Shepherd and Abide With Me." The body was sent to Lynn, Mass., for interment in charge of H. W. Nickerson.

BRILLIANT WEDDING AT ELLIOT

Miss Florence E. Hammond Becomes Bride of Chief Carpenter Brandt Wilson, U. S. N.

The marriage of Chief Carpenter Brandt W. Wilson, U. S. N., son of the late Gunner Thomas R. and Henrietta Wilson of this city, and Miss Florence Hammond, daughter of the late Pierpoint Hammond, took place at the Farmer homestead at Elliot this Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the presence of a large number of guests.

The ushers were Oliver Athorne and William O. Leonard.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. V. McAllister of the Congregational church, the double ring service being used.

The bride was gowned in a dress of white satin, on train, tulle veil caught with orange blossoms.

Little Gertrude Hammond was the ring bearer and little Misses Ruth Libby and Alice Wilson preceded the bridal party as flower girls.

Following the ceremony a reception was held for which 175 invitations had been issued. Guests were present from Newport, Boston, Everett, Kittery, Elliot and the Portsmouth Navy Yard.

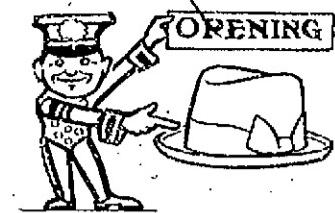
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